



P.O. Box 46
Echo, UT 84024

Springtime, 2001

Recently acquired postcard of: *Union Pacific engine
in Echo Canyon*

Dear Friends,

Another year has past and it is time for the Annual Meeting of the Echo Community & Historical Organization. Please join us on Saturday May 19, 2000, 2:00pm at the historic Echo Church.

2000 was another busy year and many special visitors stopped by to tour the historic Church and the Schoolhouse: Kenneth Ray Richins, Mary Staples and her daughter, Ben Ciraulo, Gregory Franzwa (of Patrice Press), Brett Tig Wilson and a large group from the Sons of Utah Pioneers.

We have restored an antique kitchen "pot belly" cabinet, thanks to over 100 hours of work by George E. Bennett of Coalville. He carefully restored the deteriorated wood and refinished the cabinet which is now proudly displayed in the Echo Church.

Brett T. Wilson donated equipment and photographs of the Coalville Baseball team that his father and grandfather (Tig Wilson) played for. They are on display at the Coalville Courthouse.

Work continues on the Echo School. Next steps in this large restoration project include repairing the windows and upgrading electrical, plumbing and HVAC.

Frank is still selling framed prints of George Beard's painting of the Witch Rocks at his Cafe along with baseball caps and key chains to help support our continuing preservation efforts.

Lynn Protteau, Lincoln Highway historian from Sacramento, California hopes to visit Echo this year and has promised a screening of her slide show of the Lincoln Highway. We will keep you posted, we hope she can make it.

On September 22, 2001 at 10:00am we will dedicate a stone monument marking the site of the Weber Station of the Pony Express route. The project, costing over \$2,000 has been made possible by the Echo Community & Historical Organization, the Summit County Historical Society & the Pony Express Association. We hope everyone will attend, for more information please call Frank at 435-336-5642.

"Touched By An Angle" television show has been filming a two-part episode in the Echo Church. On April 19 and 23 over 140 film crew and actors including Della Reese, Rhoma Downing and Nels Carter crowded the streets of Echo. The episodes will be televised on May 13 and 20, 2001.

We lost Albert McInnis on February 5, 1999 and his wife Erma Richins in August 1999.

Thank you again to the Henefer Boy Scouts and Doug Paskett and Mat Meachem for their annual clean-up the cemetery for Memorial Day. Oscar Meats, Wonder Bread and Frank Cattelan again sponsored the refreshments for these hard working boys.

Thank you to Kory, Taunia and Britney Staples and Jane, Richard and Chad Harper for cleaning and maintaining the church and cemetery over the past year.

Thank you to all our supporters over this past year. Our success would not be possible without your generous support.

Sincerely,

**The Echo Community & Historical Organization
P.O. Box 46
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August 12, 2000

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